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(54) Title: TREATMENT OF NON-NEURONAL CANCER USING HSV MUTANT

(57) Abstract

A mutant herpes simplex virus which has been modified in the γ 34.5 gene such that the gene is non-functional is used to treat a non-neuronal cancer such as a mesothelioma, ovarian carcinoma, bladder cancer or melanoma. Typically, the mutant herpes simplex virus has been modified within the BamHI restriction fragment of the long terminal repeat of the viral genome.

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